

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

JAMES G. STAMOS, JR.,

Case No. 1:23-cv-00138-SKO

Plaintiff,

V.

**ORDER GRANTING PLAINTIFF'S
APPLICATION TO PROCEED IN
FORMA PAUPERIS**

(Doc. 2)

KILOLO KIJAKAZI.

Acting Commissioner of Social Security,

Defendant.

13 Plaintiff James G. Stamos, Jr. filed a complaint on January 30, 2023, along with an
14 application to proceed *in forma pauperis* pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915. (Docs. 1, 2.) Plaintiff's
15 application demonstrates entitlement to proceed without prepayment of fees.

Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

1. Plaintiff's application to proceed *in forma pauperis* is GRANTED; and
 2. The Clerk of Court is DIRECTED to issue a summons, the Consent/Decline forms, and the Scheduling Order. Service on the defendant shall proceed under the Court's E-Service program as follows: once a summons is issued, the Clerk of Court shall deliver to the Commissioner of Social Security Administration and the United States Attorney's Office at their designated email addresses, a notice of electronic filing of the action along with the summons and complaint.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: **January 31, 2023**

/s/ Sheila K. Oberto
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE